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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed November 21, 2007, Applicant hereby elects Group I, claims 1-38, drawn to a composition comprising TiO₂ and/or ZnO, for continued examination.

Having made the election, Applicant expressly reserves the right to file one or more continuing applications on the subject matter of the non-elected claims.

If this paper is not considered timely filed and if a request for an extension of time is otherwise absent, Applicant hereby requests any necessary extension of time. If there is a fee occasioned by this response, including an extension fee, that is not covered by an enclosed check, please charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 23/2825.

Respectfully submitted,

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